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June 29, 2007

Mr. Marvin A. Melville 2816 Etienne Way Sandy, Utah 84093

Re: GRAMA Request of June 13, 2007

Mr. Melville,

This letter is written in response to your GRAMA request letter dated June 13, 2007 concerning the Alta Helena Mine. The division does not maintain a permit file for this mine as it was not permitted in our Minerals Program as a small mine operation, large mine operation, or an exploration permit. Therefore, we are unable to provide records requested in your letter that relate to this specific mine.

Your letter references communications involving Doug Jensen of our division; however, Mr. Jensen's last day worked was February 28, 2007. There are also no records documenting communications by Paul Baker or Daron Haddock concerning the Alta Helena Mine.

Due to the lack of records on the Alta Helena Mine within our division, we have withheld the reproduction at \$.25 per page of general documents that pertain to your item #4, such as staff policy manuals or memorandums of understanding (MOU's), until we receive further information or instruction from you on this matter. The policy manuals and MOU's include approximately 125 pages.

Based upon the information presented above, I am returning your check for \$200. I can be reached at 801-538-5279 if you have additional questions.

Sincerely,

Vicky Dyson
Supervisor

Public Information Center

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cc: Jim Springer Susan White DATE 6-15-07

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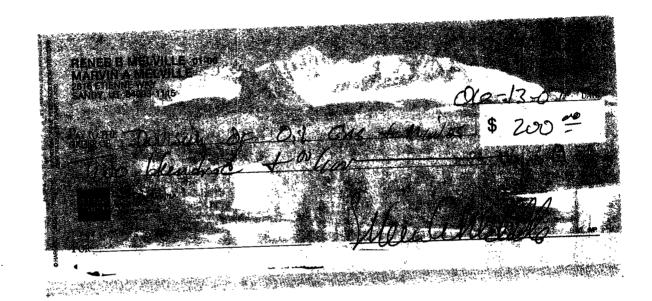
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